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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicant provides herewith a Preliminary Amendment in response to the Final Rejection of December 21, 2007. A **Listing of the Claims** begin on Page 3. **Remarks** begin on Page 11.

A three-month extension of time is requested herewith. Applicant does not believe the filing of this Amendment will incur any additional fees. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees due and credit any

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